Woman Finds Husband Gone For Two Years

NEW YORK.—Mrs. Elsie Lanning, 33, of Chicago, who spent two years and $5,000 searching for her husband, found him and said his whiskers scratched.

Mrs. Lanning, tall, sandy haired and well groomed, was reunited with Harry Lanning, 42, who married her 10 years ago. He disappeared on Valentine's day, 1947.

"I'm sorry. I don't know why I did it," he told her. "I left home with $30, but I've managed to save up $400."

Walked Out on Job

Lanning walked out on his job as a supervisor in a Chicago container factory. He was found washing dishes in a New York restaurant under the alias of Harry Manders. He was recognized by a fellow employe as the man pictured on one of the thousands of circulars sent out by Mrs. Lanning.

Lanning was tall and gaunt. His clothing was almost rags. His eyes were dark and his cheeks sunken. He wore no tie.

He was whisked by police into the room where his wife waited after she arrived by plane from Chicago. When she came out she said:

"He told me he was very sorry for what he had done. He said he loved me and gave me a very big kiss. I can still feel the kiss—his whiskers, you know. He is going back to Chicago with me."

"I knew I would find him," Mrs. Lanning said earlier Thursday. Police had given up a long time ago, but she continued.

Sent Out Circulars

"I plastered posters in restaurants, saloons and all kinds of gathering places all over the country," she said. I just sent 20,000 circulars to New York last week. He was recognized from one of these. I was getting some more circulars ready when I was called Wednesday and was told that police had found him.

"I don't want to cause any embarrassment to my husband. He's always been shy and nervous. I think he has been ill."

Police had taken Lanning into custody on a technical charge of forgery growing out of his use of the name Manders to obtain a cabaret workers' license. The count was dismissed Thursday and as the couple walked arm in arm from the courtroom, the magistrate called after them:

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Richwood

Richwood, April 5.- Services at Wesley Chapel at 3 P. M. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carey, of Lynchburg were Sunday guests of Floyd Trent, Mrs. Carey's father.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh and daughter, Mrs. Jack Hamilton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woolridge Wednesday evening.

E. P. Snow was in Roanoke on business Friday.

Mrs. Henry Fleshman visited with Mrs. D. A. Pugh last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Hamilton and son, Jackie left Sunday for a few day's visit with relatives in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Marsh Friday evening.

Floyd Fleshman, W. D. Hunter, A. B. Hunter and Carter Pankey were in Lynchburg on business on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. E. R Davis, all of Lynchburg were the Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. D. A. Pugh.

Lloyd Lewis has been sick for the past two weeks, but is reported better at this writing.

Capt. and Mrs. Nollie Lewis, who have been visiting with relatives in Florida and who have returned to Capt. Lewis' Hdq. in New Jersey, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carter Martin and Lloyd Lewis on Friday and Saturday.

Tne four Snow children, Curtis James, Lucille and Lois, who are students at the Shenandoah Valley Academy, are enjoying a few day's with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul May were in Lynchburg visiting with friends on Sunday afternoon.

Vernon Rosser is in a Lynchburg hospital for an operation.

MONROE LODGE

Monroe Lodge No. 301, A. F. & A. M., meets the second Monday of every month in their hall at Appomattox, at 8:00 P. M. Visiting brothers welcome.

Class at 7:30 P. M. Wednesday.

Franklin Marshall, W. M.

Singer Outlines Technique For Bathroom Sinatras

BOSTON.—Do they laugh when you sit down in the bathtub to sing?

"It shouldn't happen," singer Bobby Wayne says. "Anyone can sing All he has to do is brush up on the three R's of music."

Just let the bathroom warblers know their own voices, he said, and it would eliminate the wifely complaints about squawking seals.

Wayne, who gets no complaints because he whispers lyrics, believes most of the shower and bathtub singers have good voices, but try to do the wrong things with them.

Some are the Sinatra type and try to sing opera. Others are crooners who try to yodel.

"It can't be done," he said as he recalled an effort by Lawrence Tibbett to sing the "Hut-Sut Song."

"The opera fans screamed. The bobby sockers screamed, too. Tibbett is terrific at opera, but he got out of his vocal circle."

The three musical R's—resonance, range and rythm—will put anyone in his proper niche, Wayne said, and tag him as a yodeler, balladier, crooner, light classical or opera singer.

"You can gauge your resonance by the ability to hold a note powerfully. The longer you can sustain it, the more like an opera singer you are. If you can't hold it long, you're more like a heart patting crooner."

Rocks News

Rocks, April 4.- Farmers are busy plowing. It still keeps wet and folks haven't been able to do much farming and gardening.

Housekeepers have started out with some chickens.

Peggy Baldwin, Ruth Ransom and Samuel Dickerson and Joan Jennings have the measles.

Mrs. Rhomy Wilson and Mrs. John Henry Ranson attended a Home Demonstration Club leader's meeting at Appomattox recently.

Mrs. Toby Inge and Audrey Dale returned home from a hospital in Lynchburg Wednesday.

Mrs. Percy Carter went to Lynchburg Wednesday.

Mrs. Melvin Adkinson, of Evergreen spent Thursday with Mrs. Toby Inge.

Lewis Dickerson and children went to Pamplin Friday afternoon.

Quite a number from here attended a play at Pamplin High School Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Marsh were visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roach and children were visiting Mrs. D. R. Inge and Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge Sunday.

Cassie Baldwin went to Lynchburg Saturday to attend the funeral of 1st Lieut. Baldwin Tanner, who was killed in action in Belgium.

Hodges Almond, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Anderson.

Mrs. D. W. Dinkins and son, Emmett, of Lynchburg and Miss Gertrude Ransom, of Appomattox attended Sunday School at Rocks Sunday.

The Home Demonstration Club held its April meeting with Mrs. Rhomy Wilson and Mrs. Maude Ranson.

Mrs. C. S. Ranson and daughters and Mrs. M. W. Eisemon went to Appomattox today.

Peace movement in China held to have reached turning point.

Spotsylvania County is a loan for schools.

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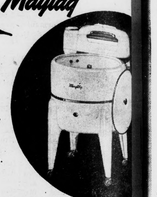

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Hixburg

Hixburg, April 5.- Mrs. H. M. Marshall, of Pampin, is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Sears. Guests in the home for the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. James Guild, of Richmond.

The Home Regnonstration Club will meet with Mrs. R. W. Covington Thursday at 2:00 P. M. We are sorry to hear of the continued illness of B. G. Anderson.

Dr. T. W. Williams preached a fine sermon at the Hixburg Presbyterian Church Sunday A. M.

Dr. Williams will begin revival services at this church May 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carson had as their guests Sunday: C. B. Carson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carson and Sandra, of Prospect; and William Elmatha Carson and friend of the University of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terry and Joe Jr. and Miss Emily Featherston; Mrs. C. B. Carson and Dr. T. W. Williams were dinner guests in the home of J. R. Marshall Sunday. Callers in this home Sunday were: J. K. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harwood, Sr., Marshall Watkins, and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sears.

Oakville

Oakville, April 5.- Those visiting in the home of Mrs. J. C. Moore, Jr. Sunday were Mrs. Marshall Cunningham and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Moore and Mary Ellen, Miss Marie Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Martin, Miss Lucille Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moore and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnette Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moses Jr. and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moore and children and children visited in the home of Mrs. E. B. Martin Sunday.

Miss June Martin spent Thursday night with Miss Rebecca Moore.

Miss Marie Owens visited Miss Birdie Harvey last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Ferguson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McCormick, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hamilton are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lucado.

Mrs. James Spiggle and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Page and Jean were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Page Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whitten and family were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Martin Sunday.

Miss Rebecca Moore was the guest of Miss Mary Ellen Moore Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Adams, and son, of Roanoke visited his parents last week-end. Mrs. Adams returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. C. E. Wilkerson left Monday for a visit to relatives in Roanoke and Altavista.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reynolds and Janice were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilkerson and his parents also several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilkerson and Charles and Miss Frances Martin visited relatives at Spout Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hillsman and daughters visited relatives in Altavista and Lynchburg Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Moore is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Moore in Richmond. Little Dennis Moore, who had been spending some time here with his grandparents, returned home with her.

We are glad that Mrs. Ocie Moore and Mr. Tom Gardner are better and have returned to their homes from the hospital.

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New crisis in the "cold war" may follow signing of Atlantic Pact.

Lester Robertson is visiting his sister, Mrs. Carlyle Phelps this week.

Revolt by army quelled in Costa Rica.

Prime Minister Attlee terms the rate of recovery in Europe "astonishing."

Ford makes slight reduction in new car prices.

Clifton Forge church is leveled by early-morning blaze.

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4,500 People to Share In Two-Million Dollars

NEW YORK.—A New York company has announced it has been hired to look for 4,500 persons to whom two recently organized Chicago companies want to give $2,288,038.

The pleasing part about the whole thing for the missing 4,500 if they're found—is that they don't know they have the money coming.

The potentially lucky 4,500 are missing stockholders in the Midland Utilities co. and the Midland United co., both of Chicago. The company hired to find the stockholders is the Tracers Company of America, in New York.

The last known addresses of the missing persons are scattered in Alaska, Hawaii, 15 foreign nations and in 500 cities, towns and villages of America, including Paw Paw and Midland, Mich., Nectarine, Pa., and Broken Bow, Ohio.

Under a court order last year in the proceedings for reorganization of the Chicago companies, the court decreed that stockholders entitled to participate in the exchange of securities under the plan of reorganization must surrender their old securities before June 30, 1953. Otherwise they lose their rights to any securities or cash held for them.

N & W notes record earnings in 1948.

Switzerland plans a "scorched earth" defense if attacked.

Uncover many U. S. dud bombs in Berlin. Claim may have been a result of sabotage.

Senator Lucas predicts Senate to vote for oleo tax repeal.

Department store sales show drop in first quarter.

Truman program is handicapped by lack of consistent part support in the Senate.

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